How to Use Social Media and Institutional Web Presence to Highlight A/I Relating to Fellowship Programming and Beyond

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Learning Objectives

Produce social media and institutional web presence to highlight A/I fellowship training

Dave's Objectives

- Offer thoughts on social media best practices
- Explore options for how A/I fellowships can "beef up" our web presence
- Time for Q & A and specific advice





New Paradigms in the Management of Allergic Disease - Focus on Biologics

March 8, 2020

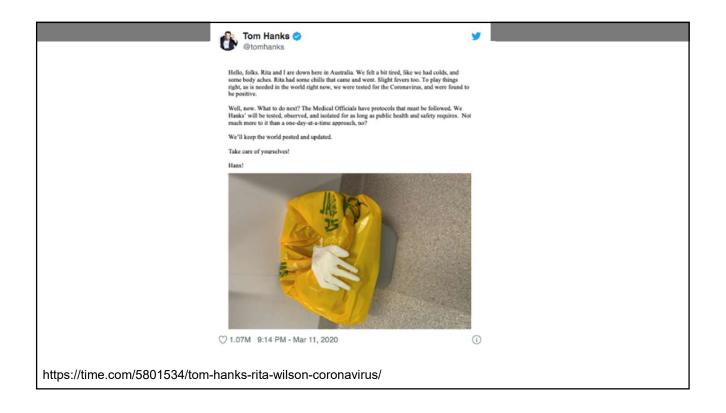
AAAAI Cancels the 2020 AAAAI Annual Meeting

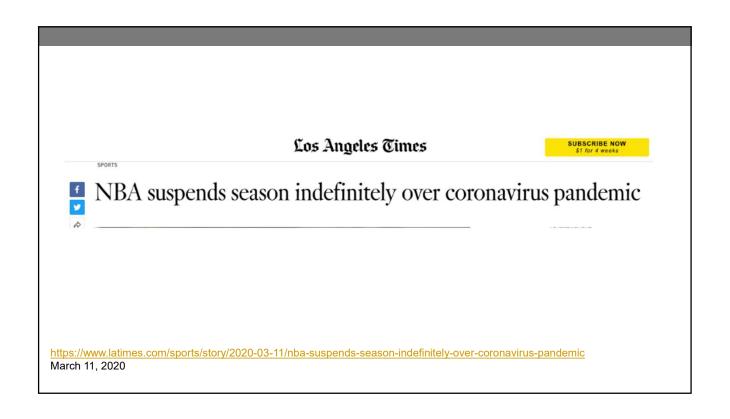
After continuous monitoring of the evolving situation with the coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19), the American Academy of Allergy, Asthma & Immunology (AAAAI) is announcing today that it has made the decision to cancel its 2020 Annual Meeting that was scheduled to take place March 13-16 in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

https://www.aaaai.org/Legacy/Announcements/COVID-Mar-8#:~:text=After%20continuous%20monitoring%20of%20the,%2D16%20in%20Philadelphia%2C%20Pennsylvania.

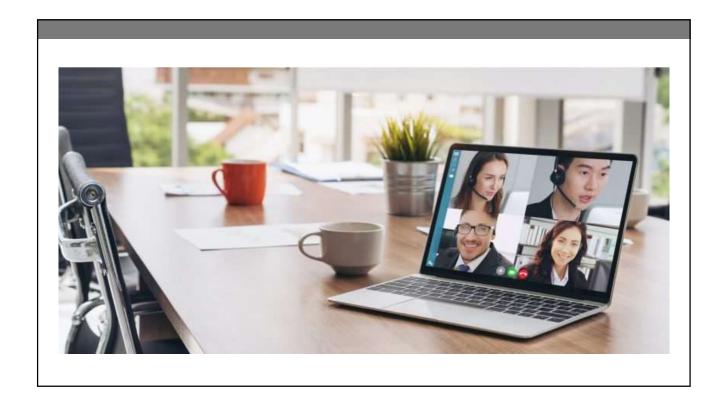


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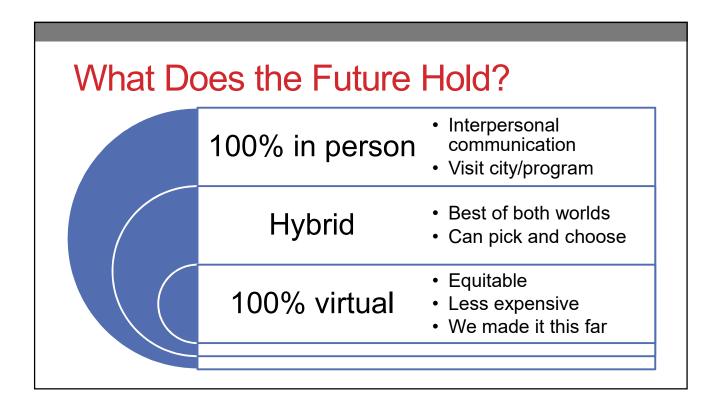
NRMP supports AAMC interview guidance for 2022-23 residency selection cycle

May 16th, 2022

https://www.nrmp.org/about/news/2022/05/nrmp-supports-aamc-interview-guidance-for-2022-23-residency-selection-cycle/

- Programs should conduct virtual interviews for all applicants (including local applicants) for the 2022-23 cycle.
- Hybrid interviewing within the same program is strongly discouraged for the 2022-23 cycle.
- Programs should share their interviewing plans with applicants clearly and early, preferably when application requirements are released.
- 4. Programs should prepare for the interview cycle by reviewing resources on anti-bias practices, best practices in creating and implementing virtual interviews, and creating tools for recruiting in a virtual context.
- Organizations should commit to collaborative research to explore key aspects and outcomes of in-person and virtual interviews.

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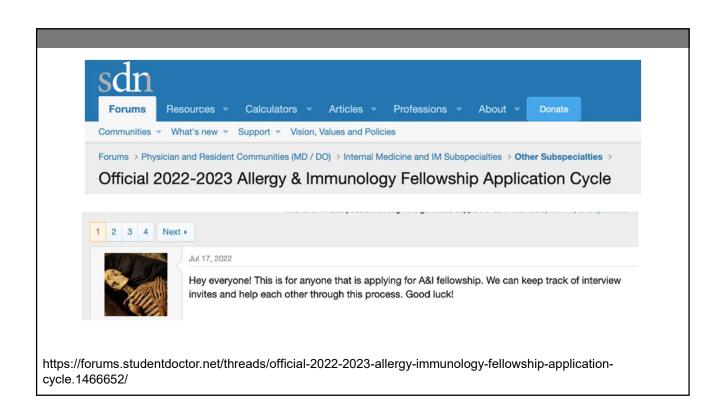


The Disruption Has Already Been Happening...Whether You Like it or Not



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If We Want To Stay Relevant, We Need To: Evolve • Embrace technology • Improve access • Use the same platforms they use

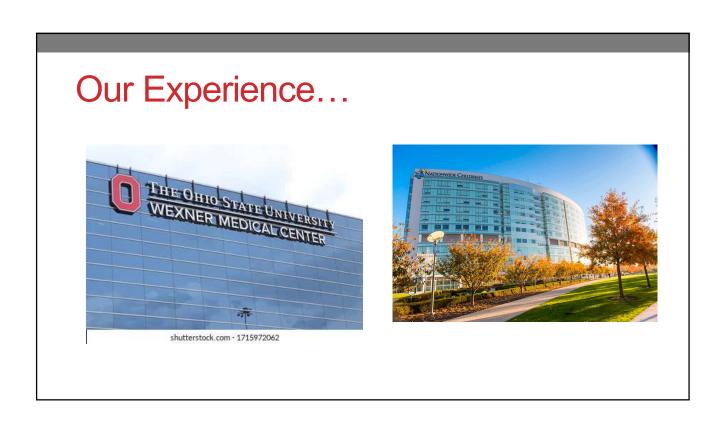


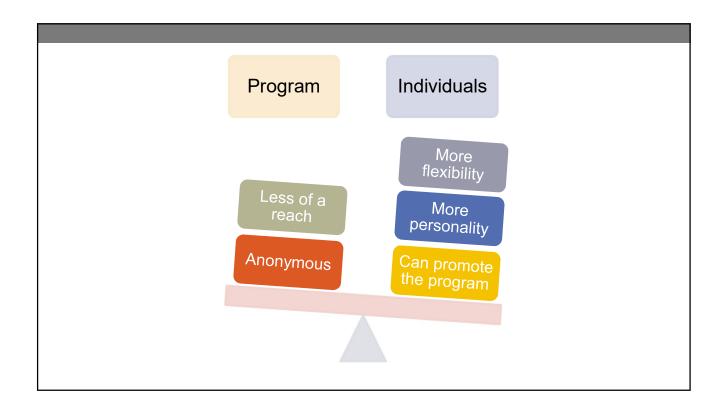
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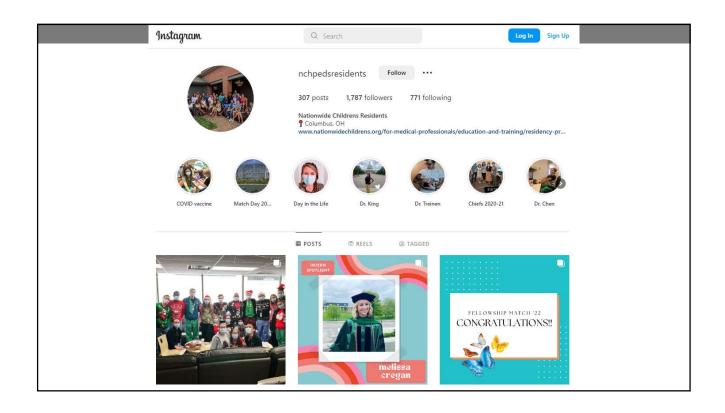
- An out of control train that was created for the sole purpose of keeping people engaged as long as possible
- But...whether you love it or hate it, it's not going away

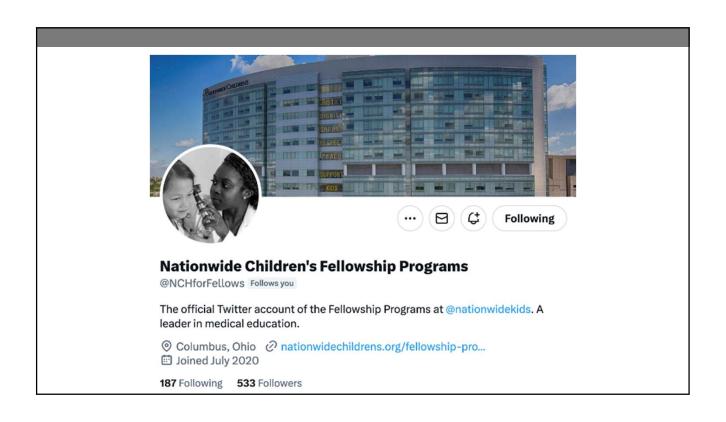
Before We Go Any Further...



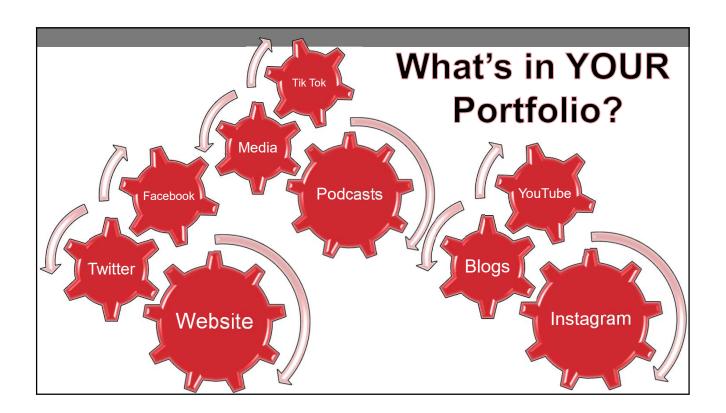












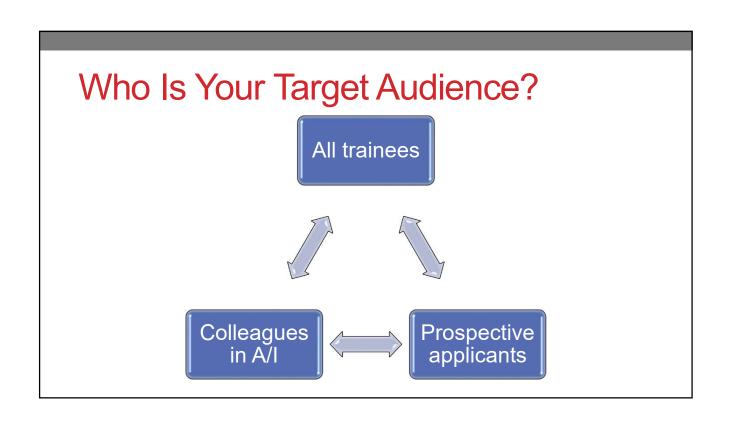
Strategies for Social Media Success

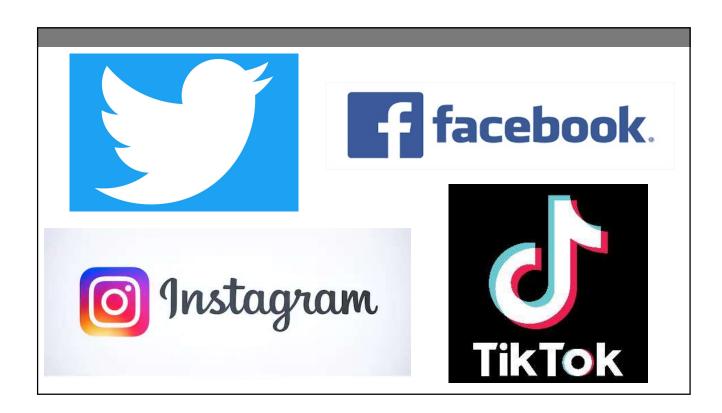
- How are you going to present yourself?
- Think about your handle very carefully
- · Who is responsible for updating content and replying
 - · Nothing worse than an inactive user
- What is the reason for joining social media?

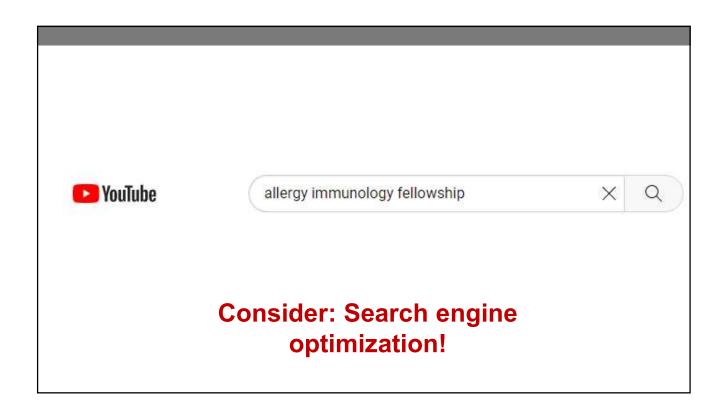


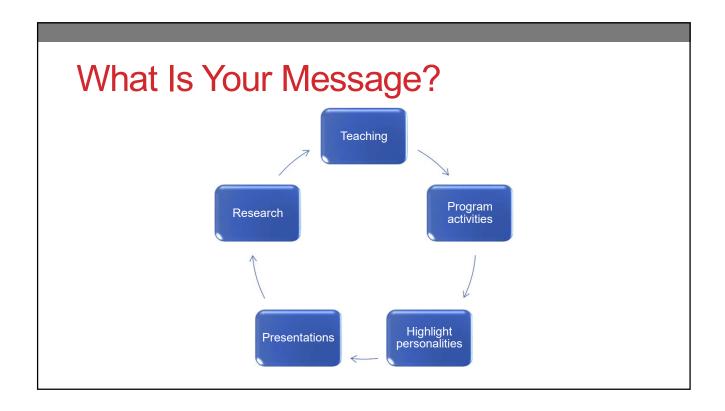




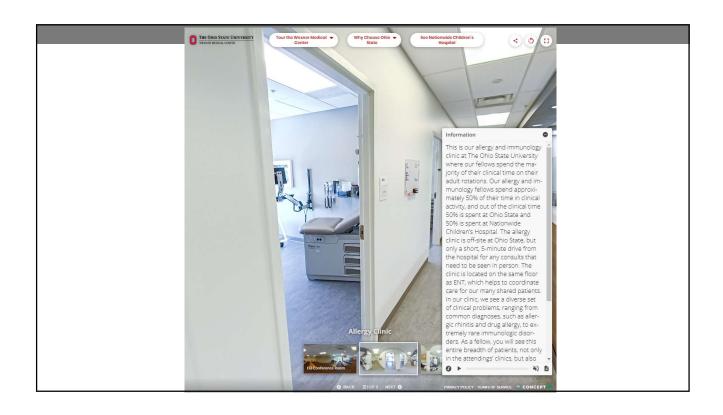




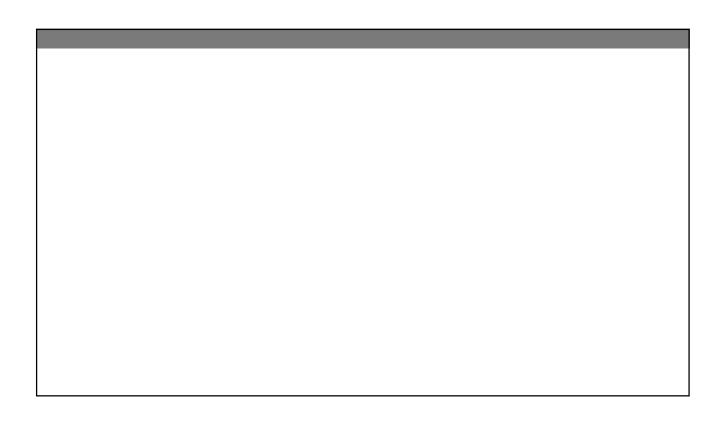








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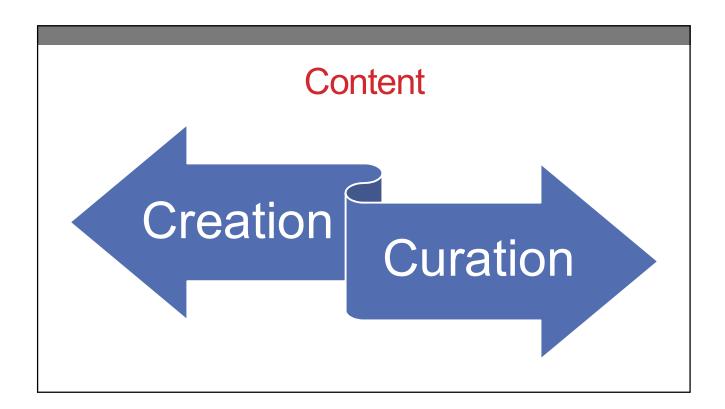




Think Like Your Audience

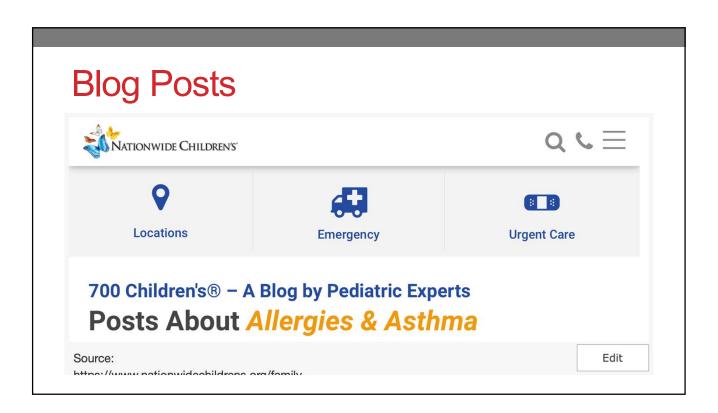


- Use search engines to look for information related to your platform(s)
- · Search social media channels for hashtags and content
- Check out what everyone else is doing



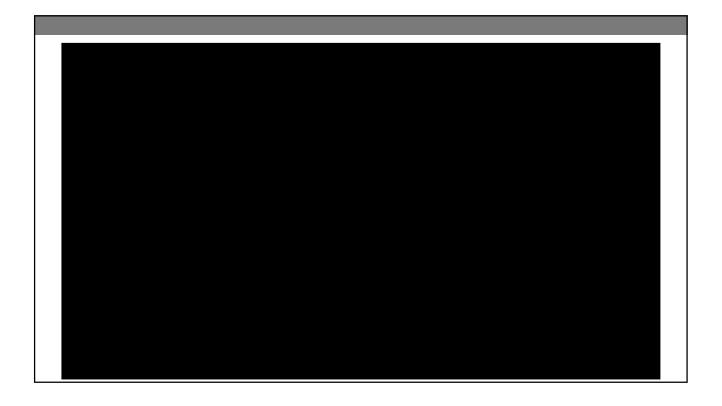
Sources of Information to Curate & Share

- Professional organizations
- Infographics
- Media reports
- Research studies
- Articles from vetted online resources
- Research from your program



Share Visuals

- Social media is a visual medium
- Infographics
- Pictures from didactics, presentations, etc
- Videos



Advocacy

- Great way to raise awareness
- Promote hashtags and awareness days/weeks through your program's account
- Topical
- Get involved in online journal clubs, Twitter chats, etc

Dave's Secret to Building a Following

Provide Valuable Content

Bringing It All Together

- Curating an impactful presence on social media as a training program is an essential part of today's world
- Consistent effort with purposeful strategies = increased following over time
- YOU determine how involved you want to be...and always revisit your purpose and return on investment



https://theconversation.com/how-3-prior-pandemics-triggered-massive-societal-shifts-146467







Final Thoughts

- We are living in a time of disruption
- Many questions remain regarding what happens next
- Only some parts of the old model will fit with the future model
- Change is hard
- Progress is uncomfortable...inevitable
- Many will resist change...they always have and always will

Thank You

